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Subject: Pasha London

Dear Linda,

Sorry for the late reply, as for the application for Pasha London Ltd Unit 2 Darwin House, 1120 Harrow Road, NW10 5NA

I have the following comments

I had various dealings with the premises and director Mr Shabbir
06/04/2019 received a food business registration form completed and signed by Khuram Shabbir. He registered the premises at 1120 Harrow Road as 'Restaurant/Kitchen/Canteen'.
30/05/2019 received a complaint from a resident about noise from the premises and that smoking took place 'inside', which I clearly would consider to be a Public Nuisance
06/06/2019 advice visit by me, where I left the Shisha compliance guide and warned to Mr Shabbir that if he allowed smoking in the premises this would be illegal
19/06/2019 I drove by around 20.00hrs and noted customers smoking in the substantially enclosed area at the front. Smoke-free offences fall under The Health Act 2006 and contraventions are of criminal nature. The owners seem to have a disregard of legal requirements and an extension of the licence would be contrary to preventing of crime and disorder in the Borough.
30/06/2019 warning letter addressed to Mr Shabbir (dated 27/09/2020) hand delivered to premises around 12.15hrs

As for his application I noted that he does not make mention of the fact that the premises will be used as a 'Shisha Lounge' and smoking will be (main) part of the business

He states in section M (a) that he displays 'non smoking sign', but states in Section M (e) that 'No smoking for under 18's'. So, he clearly intends to allow smoking in his premises.

Furthermore, the public safety aspect does not seem to have been considered by the operator. Smoking and burning charcoal indoors is extremely harmful for customers and staff's health. Also, the previous illegal shisha lounge burned down in the summer of 2018, which probably was the result of open fires/burning charcoal in a confined area.

Considering the breaches which have been noted and the fact that Mr Shabbir has made no clear mention that the premises is used as a Shisha Lounge/premises, I would not support a late night licence for this premises

Kind regards

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